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The Agents have much pleasure in recommending the above shipment, manufactured from choice tobacco now crop, all in prime order.
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Men's Boys and Children's suits in great variet and at such
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HENNING PETERS, late of the Lion Brewery, is now prepared to supply the trade and families with all kinds of
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The Brewery is situated on Spring Ridge, and is built over a well of pure, ever running spring water. This fact enables me to manufacture the very finest brands, equal to any imported Ale, Beer and Porter.
The machinery used is of latest pattern, the ingredients are pure water, malt and hops, and a trial is only necessary to convince that the brands are the finest manufactured in the Province.
All orders for city supply, or for shipment to Island or Mainland points will receive prompt attention and a satisfactory article furnished.
HENNING PETERS,
Empire Brewery,
aug10 tf Spring Ridge, Victoria, B. C.

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Must be closed out before 20th September next.
C. MORTON'S large and well selected stock of
Books, Stationery,
CUTLERY, FANCY GOODS, &c.,
IS OFFERED AT COST FOR CASH.
Particular attention is called to the large line of New Books, Toilet Sets, Albums, Photo Frames, Gold Pens and Pencil Cases, for which no reasonable CASH OFFER will be refused.
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For the Next 60 Days
I will offer at Cost, for Cash only, my present stock of Furniture, consisting of
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Previous to removing to my new Factory, now in course of erection; in order to make room for entirely new styles and patterns.
Call early and secure bargains.
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FOR THE
WINTER,
JUST RECEIVED.
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sep5

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SOLE AGENT FOR
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Warerooms JOS. SPENCER'S store, Government street. aug19 1m

Notice
THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned as Chemists and Druggists has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Langley assumes all the assets and liabilities of the late firm.
Victoria, September 9th, 1885.
A. J. LANGLEY.
H. L. JONES.
Witness—J. Roland Hett, Barrister-at-Law. se10

Notice
I HEREBY give notice that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase Russell Island, at the entrance to Fulford Harbor, Salt Spring Island, containing forty acres, more or less.
WILLIAM HAMES.
September 9, 1885. sep10 2m

NOTICE.
DURING my absence in the East I have given Power of Attorney to Edward T. Barnett to transact my business. A. W. LAWSON.
September 8, 1885. sep8 7w

CLASSIFIED BUSINESS CARDS.

VETERINARY SURGEON.

VETERINARY SURGEON.
Dr. Blanchard, V. S.,
Associate of Ontario Agricultural College, Fellow of the Montreal Medical Association.
OFFICE above Mechanics' Institute, Fort street. june30 1m

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THE AMERICAN HOTEL,
ESTABLISHED 1869.
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Rates $1 to $1 50 per day.
July13 T. J. BURNES.

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Notice.
ALL persons indebted to the Dominion Sawmill Company must pay their accounts at the office of Mr. J. C. Bales (over Davie & Wilson's office), Bastion street.
JAMES C. PREVOST,
au12 1m Receiver.

Notice
NOTICE is hereby given, that the undersigned intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a public highway in South Saanich, commencing at section line of section three (3) following section line to northwest corner of section one (1) South Saanich.
RICHARD JOHNS.
GEORGE HARRISON.
S. G. HARRISON.
W. HARRISON.
Victoria, Aug. 4, 1885. aug

Notice.
CREDITORS of Augustus Langford Brown late of Happy Valley, Metchosin District deceased, are requested to send their accounts to the undersigned.
J. ROLAND HETT,
Barrister at-Law,
Langley street, Victoria.
August 5, 1885. aug5

Change of Business Notice.
HAVING transferred the Real Estate business; corner Yates and Broad streets, to C. D. Rand, we shall in future confine a general Shipping, Commission and Manufacturers' Agency business. We will open a Warehouse shortly, when we will have superior facilities for carrying on the above business. Advertisement in a few days.
au13 tf A. R. MAIN & Co.

Victoria Journal of Commerce.
I HAVE this day severed all connection with the above paper, and will not be responsible for any liabilities of said paper, or for any debts contracted by J. Cohen or C. H. Ring in connection with the above publication. A. R. MAIN.
Victoria, August 10, 1885. au13

Dissolution of Partnership.
THE partnership heretofore existing between Jules Boucherat and Michael Camsusa, carrying on the business of Wholesale Merchants on Yates street, Victoria, under the firm name of Boucherat & Camsusa, has been dissolved from August 1st, 1885. The late Mr. Camsusa's interest having been withdrawn, the business will in future be carried on by Messrs. Jules Boucherat, Jean Coigdarippe and Casimir Ragnazoni, under the firm name of Boucherat & Co., they assuming the assets and liabilities of the late firm.
Victoria, Sept. 2, 1885. 1w

Notice.
THE Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company.—The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the Company's Office, Victoria, on Wednesday, 7th day of October next, for the purpose of receiving the report of the Directors, electing the Directors thereof for the ensuing year, and transacting the general business of the Company.
CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Secretary pro tem.
Dated Victoria, August 24, 1885. au25 td

Notice
ALL THOSE INDEBTED TO THE FIRM of Calbreath, Grant & Cook, Caesiar, are requested to call on the undersigned at the office of Mr. R. Lippett, second door from the Telegraph office, Victoria, to settle their indebtedness, or legal steps will be taken to collect the same.
JOHN GRANT.
Vict. Ba. Dec. 3rd, 1884. dec3 tf

Theatre Comique.
PUBLIC notice is hereby given that this place of amusement will be closed until the arrival of a new troupe, which is shortly expected.
T. D. CYRS.
Victoria, Aug. 4 th, 1885. aug4tf

WANTED.

ADVERTISEMENTS under this head, three insertions, 50 cents; six insertions, 75 cents.

WANTED—By a respectable young man, lame, employment of any kind. Wages no object. Address H. M. B., TIMES office. sep9 3t

WANTED—An English lady, lately arrived in this country, middle-aged, wishes employment as Governess to children, companion to lady or housekeeper. Address "A. Z.," TIMES office. sep10 3t

WANTED—Two or three unfurnished rooms, suitable for housekeeping. No child on. Address, at once, E. O. C., P. O. Box 46, sep3 3t

WANTED.—A young gentleman desires a large front room, furnished, on ground floor, with breakfast. Apply, stating terms, to R. C., P. O. Box L., City. sep8 3t

WANTED—A man with a family to rent for a term of years a farm on the Lower Fraser. House, farm and 200 acres fenced. Address W. G., TIMES office. july29

WANTED—Five hundred new subscribers for the DAILY TIMES, which will be delivered at their residences for 25 cents per week.

WANTED—A woman to cook and do general housework in a small, respectable family. Apply at THE TIMES office. sep11 tf

WANTED.—Wanted immediately, a good Coatmaker also a Pantsmaker. Steady work at regular prices. Address "S. B.," New Westminster. sep11 tf

Board and Lodging.

THE undersigned having opened a first-class Boarding and Lodging House, begs to inform the public that she has accommodation for a limited number of persons. MRS. J. KING, Douglas street, between Johnson and Yates (formerly McKeon House.) aug5 tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A Lady's Side Saddle, maker Peat, Piccadilly, London; all the latest improvements, together with bridle, etc. To be seen at the TIMES office Apply to M. D., TIMES office. sep10 6t

FOR SALE—For sale or to let, a most desirable business location, being the new building situated between Captain Howard's and the Globe Hotel, Esquimalt. Property fronts on Wharf street, and rear faces the Dry Dock. For further particulars, apply at THE TIMES office. sep8 1m

FOR SALE—TENTS! TENTS!—Hunters and Excursionists call and secure one of those Little Gem Tents, size 6 x 7, 2 ft. wall, ropes and rearers complete, made of heavy drilling. Fifty of the above just received, selling at $5.50.
sep3 W. DUFOUR & CO., Auctioneers.

$450—For sale, a well paying retail business, suitable for man and wife, in one of the principal streets of Victoria. Satisfactory reasons given for selling. Address X Y Z, TIMES office. sep3

FOR SALE—A fine span of American mares, six years old, well mated, weight between 1300 and 1500 pounds. Apply to the Cowichan Lumber Yard. aug19-tf

FOR RENT.

TO LET—A well finished house on Yates street, near Quadra. Rent cheap. Address "H.," TIMES office. sep10 6t

TO LET—Newly furnished rooms in a pleasantly situated house, ten minutes' walk from the P. O. Address B., TIMES office. sep7 tf

LOST.

LOST—Or Strayed, Lost, on Friday, 4th, a Brown Retriever Dog, ten months old. The above reward will be paid for his recovery. Leave information at THE TIMES office. se9 6t

$5 REWARD—Lost, last night, on Pemberton street, a Gold Bracelet. Any one finding the same will be suitably rewarded by leaving it at TIMES office. sep8 tf

MEETINGS.

AN ENTERTAINMENT IS GIVEN AT Temperance Hall every Saturday evening. Good Temperance speakers and Musical Selections, with Recitations, forming a good programme. The Blue Ribbon Band will be in attendance. All are cordially invited. Chair taken at 8 o'clock precisely. HENRY BUDGE, President.

THE Y. W. C. T. U. OF VICTORIA MEETS every third Monday in each month at Temperance Hall, on Pandora st., at 7.30 p. m. A good programme and suitable time at every meeting. Strangers cordially invited. no5-tf

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See circulars just out, and don't fail to call on
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July2

MIDWIFERY.

MRS. McGREGOR, MIDWIFE, RECENTLY from Halifax, N. S. Diploma and highest testimonials of proficiency from the University of Edinburgh. Calls promptly attended to. Residence, corner of Douglas and Cormorant street, over Gosnell's grocery store. mar13

Just Down from the North.
I. ISAACS & CO.,
INDIAN BAZAAR,
JOHNSON STREET.
Has received a fine assortment of
Indian Curios & Silver Bracelets.
sep7 1m

FRANK CAMPBELL,
IMPORTER AND DEALER IN

FINE HAVANA CIGARS.
Meerschaum Pipes,
SMOKING TOBACCO
CORNER YATES AND GOVERNMENT STS.
VICTORIA, B. C.

THE DEADLY CYCLONE

Sweeps Over an Ohio Town—Great Destruction of Life and Property

A Prosperous Town Swept out of Existence by the Tornado.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Sept.—A terrible cyclone struck Washington Court House, a city of 4000 inhabitants, twenty-five miles of here, at eight o'clock this evening, and almost totally swept it from the earth. It came from the northwest, and broke upon the town suddenly, carrying everything before it. The tornado whirled up Court street, the main business thoroughfare, and mined almost every business block on it, at least 40 or 50 in all. Hardly a private residence in the town escaped, fully 400 buildings going down. The Baptist, Presbyterian and Catholic churches all suffered the common fate. The Ohio Southern, Pan Handle, Narrow Gage and Midland depots were blown to smithereens, and every building in the vicinity was carried away, making ingress or egress almost impossible.

FULL DETAILS OF THE DISASTER.

Washington Court House, the scene of the most disastrous visitation by the elements on Tuesday night, is the county seat of Fayette county. It has a most extraordinary business growth within the past fifteen years, and being the center of a rich agricultural district, with excellent railroad facilities, it had grown to be a business place of considerable importance. Its residents had beautified the town with tasteful dwellings, and its recently completed court house was one of the best in the state. To-day this prosperous place is a mass of ruins. Last night's experience of its inhabitants has no parallel in the experience of any other town in Ohio. A heavy rainfall began about 8 o'clock last night, and that and the darkness drove everybody into shelter, so that while there are some who say they saw funnel-shaped clouds, it does not seem possible that there could have been much observation of the heavens. Shortly after the rain began, wind came with a terrifying cloud. Its work was almost instantaneous. People say it was over in two minutes, but nobody could take note of time in such a fearful experience. The fierce roaring of the terrible tornado, the crashing of broken and falling buildings, the sharp flashes of lightning, the rolling thunder and the pitile's rain combined to produce sensations of the most horrifying character. Two minutes of this startling experience was followed by a new feeling among the scattered and terrified survivors more sickening than that through which they had passed. It was the uncertainty of the fate of friends and relatives. All who escaped alive feel sure that many lives were certainly lost.

DARKNESS AND RUIN.

When the fierceness of the storm had passed, and men could communicate with each other, it was found that all were in darkness. The gas works were destroyed and all the street lamps were out. Only by lightning flashes were the frightened people enabled to catch glimpses of the desolation which had wrecked their little city. Friends called for friends, and as answers came the first shock of dread was relieved. The number of deaths was miraculously small.

The next duty was to search for the imprisoned and wounded. In this there was a prompt and whole-hearted effort. Bonfires were lighted and torches improvised, and wherever cries were heard ready aid was given. More than that, debris was overthrown to see if any more dead could be found.

With cheerful welcome the doors of such houses as were not destroyed were opened for houseless ones driven into the rain. In many cases they were utterly bereft of all their household goods. The night was a fearful one, but it was full of helping work for the stronger. The sheriff called upon the militia to set guard over the exposed stocks of all the business houses, for they were all broken or destroyed, and prowling thieves were not wanting, even in the first hour of the city's misfortune. Of course they grew to-day, when crowds of visitors poured in

THE RETURN OF DAY.

With daylight came a most disheartening spectacle. The fair town of yesterday lay torn and wrecked in disordered heaps. The streets were well nigh impassable from trees and parts of houses cast into them. Worst of all was the sight of the poor, who had lost all, and who had no place to lay their heads. They wandered hopelessly about as if they were strangers. Of course people whose houses were not ruined began at once to care for their unfortunate fellow-sufferers. Farmers soon began to pour into town, drawn by curiosity, but at the same time bringing with them substantial aid for the destitute. Before the day ended the Council had taken formal action by organizing a relief committee, and by night much was done toward the prevention of actual privation. The great wonder is that more lives were not lost. In the Odd Fellows' hall the members were gathered in the second story when the storm came. The building was literally blown down, but not one was injured. Thirty-one went down with the ruins and escaped, while nine clung to the walls of an adjoining block and were rescued by ladders.

A SPECIAL DISPATCH.

The Commercial Gazette's special says: People were not frightened until they heard the rattle of signs threshing in the terrific storm. It kept getting worse and worse, until the most substantial brick and stone structures of the city heaved too and fro, at the mercy of the steadily increasing gale. Bricks and beams, roofs, fences and almost every conceivable thing that could possibly be wrenched loose, flew through the air, scattering death and destruction everywhere. For eight long minutes the disastrous work went on.

Music hall was filled with people, attending a Salvation army meeting, and as a portion of the roof and ceiling fell in, a disastrous panic and stampede was prevented with the greatest difficulty.

THE KILLED AND WOUNDED.

The following are known to be killed: Mollie Jones, Edith Floyd, Ellen Forsyer, Jennie Forsyer and Flora Carr, Herbert Taggart, James Jackson and John Vanpelt are supposed to be fatally wounded. Fully six hundred persons were hurt—too many to make it practicable to give names.

Among the most seriously injured are: Mrs. W. P. Irving, arm badly injured; B. Hess, wounded on the head; Milton Heir, back injured; James Snapp, struck by falling telegraph pole; Mrs. W. Thorp, blown across the street and badly injured; Lulu Clifton, lower portion of body crushed; Herbert Taggart, badly crushed; Charles Mercer, badly injured; Mrs. Jas. Beach and Miss Sheets.

LATEST PARTICULARS.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 9.—A Washington Court House special to the Commercial Gazette, says that Herbert Haggart, telephone operator, died at 9 o'clock to-night and that many of the injured will die within a week. Governor Hoadly was present to-day. He returned to Columbus, saying he would issue an appeal to-night to the people of Ohio for aid for the sufferers. Ex-Senator John Little estimates that the loss from the storm in Washington and vicinity will not fall short of $1,000,000. It is estimated that 25,000 visitors were present in Washington to-day.

Among the incidents of the disaster was the blowing of the house of W. Thorp entirely to pieces and out of sight. The occupants were dropped across the street, with only Mrs. Thorp severely injured. The others had but slight bruises. The remains of the house cannot be identified.

THE STORM IN MICHIGAN.

DETROIT, Sept. 9.—Reports received today from the southeastern part of the state give further particulars of yesterday's storm. Buildings were wrecked, orchards laid waste, huge swaths made in woods, and other damage done. Near Ridgeway Robert McMillan was thrown from his buggy into a ditch, having several ribs broken. The farm of George Smith lay in the course of the storm, and 150 head of stock are missing. The orchard was destroyed, five acres of newly sown wheat blown away, and earth scooped from the field. His barn was wrecked and the contents scattered to the wind. Chickens were found hanging to trees and poles. John Kent and John Curry were picked up insensible and badly bruised. The track of the cyclone varied from thirty to sixty rods in width. At places it seemed to rise from the earth and then to swoop down and destroy everything in its path. Efforts are afoot for the relief of the sufferers. The full extent of the damage is not known, but the losses are variously estimated at from $25,000 to $50,000.

The Barkerville School Sc't.

SECOND LETTER.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

DEAR SIR,—I wish it to be distinctly understood that my primary object in writing these letters is not attack, but defence. For the fact of such a suit being instituted at all is to those unacquainted with all the circumstance somewhat of a reflection on the defendants and upon the good name and commercial honor of the people of Barkerville—an evil aggravated by the wholly needless and unjustifiable removal of the case to Clinton, and the proceedings there taken and allowed; and still further by the publication in your journal of a letter so full of misrepresentation and spiteful abuse of the defendants as that to which I replied last week. But while my first object is to defend, it will be found that a mere relation of the undeniable facts leading up to the suit, and the course of proceedings thereafter, will reflect with some degree of severity upon the plaintiff and others. This, however, is unavoidable, and in the interests of justice and the public weal, justifiable. I make no scruple in acknowledging that the business was botched at the very outset; but by whom? Necessarily not by Mr. Stone or myself, as we were not elected trustees until the close of the plaintiff's second year of service. By whom then? The trustees in office in 1881 were Mr. Chas. Wilson, Mr. Pendola and Mr. Nason. The latter gentleman having been elected at the end of June of that year, and if I am correctly informed, after the inception of the subscription list circulated to supplement the expected teacher's salary. The secretary of the Board was Mr. Wilson. It was therefore his duty to keep a record of all business legally transacted by the Board. In the spring of 1881 he was duly authorized to advertise for a teacher; and in connection with this business several meetings were held, and the minutes thereof entered in the book kept for that purpose. The last of these meetings was held on the 12th June, but at that date no definite conclusion had been reached in reference to the engagement of a teacher, and nothing whatever is on record as to any addition proposed to be made to the legislative salary. This movement, as stated in my last, originated at the instance of one of the applicants for the situation, for whose benefit a subscription list was opened in order to raise the stipulated $200. The heading of this list is in Mr. Wilson's handwriting, but it is without name or date, and the amounts subscribed are not made payable to any official or individual, in the capacity of authorized collector. It is impossible, therefore, at this date to settle by documentary evidence the most question whether this subscription was to be taken up by authority of the Board of Trustees, or whether it was a voluntary movement on behalf of the people in town interested in the welfare of the school. But from the absence of all record in the official minute book, or among the papers of the Board, it is certain that legally the action was not that of the trustees, either corporately or individually, in their representative capacity. For here the maxim holds good that business transacted by a corporate body of which no record is kept is not legally business at all. It is most unfortunate that at this critical time no record was kept of the doings of the Board. For the omission the then Secretary is chiefly to blame; but this sin of omission on his part does not by any means excuse the negligence of his colleagues in not seeing that the duty required of him by the statute was properly performed. The Secretary's term of office expired in June, 1882, but he being then a candidate for legislative honors, no annual school meeting was held, and no trustee was elected in his place. For the ensuing year—the second of the plaintiff's term—Messrs. Pendola and Nason were the only members of the Board, and during that time they either held no meetings, or if they held them kept no record thereof. For two years, therefore, there was practically no official business transacted by the Board. To return, however, to the engagement of Mr. Stirling: On 3rd August, 1881, Mr. Wilson, in reply to a letter from the Superintendent of Education of date 14th July, sent him the following telegram: "Please engage teacher for our school to first-class grade B. If he suits us we can guarantee two hundred dollars yearly extra." (Signed) CHAS. WILSON. On reading this the query naturally arises, by whose authority, and on whose behalf, was this telegram sent? It is natural enough to presume that Mr. Wilson being a trustee, it was sent by authority of one or both of his colleagues. But, considering that the School Act gives to trustees no authority to increase the salaries of teachers beyond the legislative appropriations, and that if done such increase would not be binding on their successors in office, it is perhaps a little more natural to presume that the "we" in the telegram stood either for the subscribers on the list mentioned or for the people of the town. Against the validity of the former assumption there is also a dilemma; for there is no evidence that Mr. Wilson, or either of his colleagues, obtained the previous consent of the subscribers to the promise made in the telegrame. But whether the "we" meant subscribers or trustees in either case such consent should have been secured; for in the one event the trustees had otherwise no means of legally implementing their guarantee; in the other, if of their own motion, and without consulting with the subscribers, they undertook to divert the amounts subscribed in expectation of their being paid to one teacher, who could not otherwise be got, and promised them to another, who had not asked for anything extra, they in effect relieved the subscribers and made themselves personally responsible for the extra sum so promised. The case was so much the worse if Mr. Wilson himself undertook to do this. But this point need not be strongly insisted on, as the subsequent action of certain of the subscribers in paying during the plaintiff's first year the whole or a part of the amounts subscribed by them justified what had been done for that year at least and to the extent of the collectable subscriptions relieved the trustees of individual responsibility. Naturally enough it may be asked here, if the debt was acknowledged and part paid thereon why was there any suit at all? The answer to this will be more fully developed when I come to speak of the circumstances, immediately preceding the institution of the suit, and the evidence given by the plaintiff at the trial. At present I shall only say on behalf of Mr. Stone and myself that the claim was never during the plaintiff's term of service presented to us in any tangible shape. We then know nothing of the telegram—the real basis of the debt—or of the Superintendent's letter. Indeed, the whole affair seemed to be something with which we, as trustees, had nothing whatsoever to do. Had the authority for sending the telegram (if legally given at all), with a copy of the message sent, been duly entered in the minute book, there need have been no such trouble as we had; for either the arrangement originally made would have been continued from year to year, or it would have been rescinded or modified. At best such an agreement as that alleged to have been made could not be valid for more than one year at a time; and it was the duty alike of trustees and teacher (but in no higher degree the duty of the one than of the other) to see that it was renewed from year to year—that the agreement (if agreement there was) was put up in a proper business shape. This duty was neglected; and further, by the plaintiff's confession in court he never had a definite understanding on the subject with himself or the trustees as to whether it was a nett sum of $200 or $200 a year he was to get, and never during his term of service made a formal demand upon the trustees in terms of his first and only such demand just previous to entering the suit. Hence the outrage in the plaintiff's making Mr. Stone and myself parties to a suit for a sum of money which, as alleged, was earned and should have been paid (if due) before our election to office. It is to be remembered that we were sued as individuals, not as a corporate body. Had we been sued in the latter capacity, on the plea that on taking office we became responsible for the acts of our predecessors, there would have been a quasi justification for such a proceeding, however absurd, and the suit would have been easily won by us. But in joining us in a personal suit with two of the parties who were alleged to have made the agreement three years before, and leaving out of the action the one person really responsible for the mess, the dishonesty of the proceeding in intent became all the more glaring, and we, at least, cannot be blamed for showing to the plaintiff a determined front; nor in this view is it surprising that the judge should have spoken of the attempt to take this money out of our pockets as "monstrous." The wonder is that having so characterized it he did not at once release us instead of annoying us by nearly a year of suspense, and still more "monstrous" proceedings. It must be borne in mind also that we were sued for a balance of three years' alleged extra salary, but that up to the time of hearing we had no evidence, oral or written, to show that the plaintiff had been promised $200 a year. We had the superintendent's letter to Mr. Stirling, but that stated only (though on what authority we know not) that "the trustees gurantee $200 extra." Now as to the meaning of this the plaintiff, previous to suing, acknowledged to Mr. Stone and myself that he was uncertain whether it meant $200 only, or $200 a year, or $200 a month! And in court he admitted, in addition, that he felt this uncertainty even before he started on his journey from the lower country. Then why in the name of common sense did he not when he arrived here make himself certain and get the affair put in a business-like shape? Here was blunder number one on his part. To conclude, however, I may mention, in addition to the facts given last week, that show the efforts made to procure an amicable settlement, that in accordance with all the evidence we then had before us, we advised Messrs. Pendola and Nason to offer the plaintiff the $200 extra in full settlement of his claim, and they did this, but the tender was declined. This closed negotiations, and the suit was allowed to proceed. In my next I shall review the hearing of the case and the strange proceedings subsequently allowed to be taken.

H. WATT, M. D.
Barkerville, 4th Sept., 1885.

An address was presented to Sir Adolphe Caron by the officers of his department last week congratulating him on the recent honor conferred on him by Her Majesty. Dominion Rifle Association also met and appointed a committee to draft a similar address to be presented to Sir Adolphe Caron.

The fastest railroad time on record was made last week in Pennsylvania by a train on the Switchback, which ran three miles in two minutes and thirty-one seconds.

A fire in Barrow, near London, destroyed the works of the Barrow Shipbuilding company, causing a loss of $1,000,000, and throwing 2,000 men out of employment.

At a meeting at Dundee lately, Sir Lyon Playfair highly praised the system of technical education that prevails in America.

Hettie Green, the New York stock speculator, has by recent ventures increased her fortune to $40,000,000.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS.

THE cable says that the young EARL OF DERBY is going to spend six weeks in the Canadian Rockies hunting buffaloes. There are now very few buffaloes on the prairies, which may be accounted for by the fact that they are leaping from crag to crag in the mountains.

THE American Legation has long been cramped for room in its present quarters in the members' mansions, Victoria street, London. MR. PHELPS stated this fact some time ago to the State Department at Washington, and was authorized to obtain more suitable accommodations.

IN the *Pall Mall Gazette* of August 15th there appeared a letter from MR. THOMAS RITCHIE, of Ottawa, pointing out what he considered "an omission in the Queen's Speech," viz.: that the address contained no reference to the late North-West rebellion. He fears that the omission on the part of her Majesty's advisers might occasion some chagrin to the more sensitive of his fellow-colonists. It is, perhaps, some what remarkable that an opportunity to indulge in Jingo talk was missed by the Salisbury Cabinet.

LORD JOHN MANNERS, Postmaster-General, has enraged the officials and employees of his department by sending them a circular warning them to abstain from active participation in the electoral campaign, and ordering them not to support any candidate by public speech or writing. Most of the Post Office officials are Liberals, having been appointed during MR. GLADSTONE'S administration, and many of them are known as effective writers and stump speakers in the Liberal cause. LORD JOHN is, of course, a Tory. While his subordinates now regard him as a most offensive partizan, the public will approve of his step keeping departmental officials out of the mud throwing of minor party politics.

ELECTRIC motors for street railways are proving successful in Baltimore and Cleveland. The systems are different. The one in Baltimore has a central rail, insulated from the ground, but thus far exposed on the surface. Dogs and horses are occasionally shocked by it. There is talk of enclosing it. The motors used are the MORSE and FARADY. One weighs about 4500 pounds, and will haul a full horse-car four miles in twenty-five minutes, most of the way up hill, and some of it is steep. The dynamos, of which there are two, are driven by a 35 horse power engine. Each dynamo is of 50 horse power, and one suffices for ordinary traffic. The Bently Knight railway in Cleveland differs from this in the respect that the electricity is conducted from the dynamo by a stationary cable in a conduit under the track, and through an opening in the top an electric brush reaches down from each car, taking up the electricity to a small motor under the car, from which bands run to pulleys on the axles.

FOLLOWING close upon the appearance of *Poor's Manual* with the statement of American railway statistics, come the returns of the British Board of Trade with a similar report for the railway system of the United Kingdom. During the year 1884 there was an increase of 200 miles in the mileage, making a total of 18,864 miles, just about equal to that of the middle group of the States. The increase in the capital has been nearly $100,000,000, and now this amounts to $4,471,000,000. Of this about nine-tenths have been paid up. The liabilities per mile have slightly increased. At the same time the earning capacity has decreased from 5s. 1d. to 5s. The ratio of working expenses has not, however, gained. With the exception of 1879 the earnings per cent on paid-up capital has been less than that of any year since 1865. *Herapath's Journal* is disposed to grumble at these low earnings, and compares them with the returns of other corporate and capitalistic undertakings: "Whilst banks are earning 6 per cent, whilst Canadian railways even return 3½ per cent, Australian railways 4½, Indian railways 5½, British railways obtain 4 per cent. There are £30,000,000 of capital sunk in constructed lines on which not a penny is returned; and the amount of ordinary stock earning above 9 per cent does not exceed £2,000,000."

SOCIAL OUTCASTS.

Rightly too, the Canadian press has promptly condemned the project of importing London's social outcasts into Canada. "A Mother," writing to a Toronto journal, hit the nail on the head when she protested in the name of Young Canada against such a step. It is an unfortunate fact a mistaken sentimentality cannot justify us in burking, that woman seldom is reformed. Once her character is soiled, or she becomes a victim to intemperance, it seems almost impossible to reclaim her. Nor is this so much a matter for surprise as might at first sight appear. The weakness—whether it be love of display or of excitement—which principally leads to her fall is aggravated by that catastrophe; the appetite grows by what it feeds upon; her power of resistance to temptation becomes more demoralized than that of man who has transgressed the moral laws. Nor would the proposed exportation of so-called reclaimed women answer the purpose contemplated by English philanthropists. So long as the character of the lower-class female remains unchanged, such a step would only result in the drafting of recruits into the ranks of vice so depleted. The only satisfactory way to deal with the social problem is to guard the weak ones whilst they are pure; to impress upon young girls the fact that even men of lax morality admire nothing so much in women as chastity; and to teach thoughtless womankind that dress alone does not make her lovable. It is no use theorizing in this matter; we should be practical. The two great factors in the social evil question are idleness and the love of dress. If we could get working-class mothers and Sunday school teachers to teach their girls that honest work is honorable, idleless a disgrace, and that a seal skin coat or a satin dress does not make a lady, something might be done. Let them be taught that virtue raises them in the eyes of men, and that a woman has higher aims and responsibilities, let her be of what class she may, than degrading her sex by conduct which brings nothing but misery and wretchedness in its wake. Let the working mothers and employers of female servants look after these girls, not allowing them to be out late at night, or to dress beyond their means, and we might certainly protect our young girls without the aid of legislation. It is not a question for the men but for the mothers to decide.

IRELAND'S UNCROWNED KING.

MR. PARNELL feels that he has his Tory confederates completely at his feet, since he ventures on the morn of his alliance with them to openly declare for the dismemberment of the union with the United Kingdom. The great agitator is an Englishman by blood, and is of the stock of those very intruders whom he represents himself as thirsting to expel; he is animated not only by disunionism, but by a renegade hatred of his own race. Prominent Liberals, like MR. CHAMBERLAIN and SIR CHARLES DILKE, fancied that they could traffic with him and buy his help in their ascent to power at some price short of the repeal of the Union. LORD CHURCHILL suggested, with ingenuous roguery, that "though the Nonconformist tendencies of Scotland and Wales precluded much hope of Tory popularity in those regions, in Ireland something might be done; and if LORD BEACONSFIELD'S spirit could for a moment animate his statue an Irish policy might be suggested which would captivate the Celtic race." How successfully the Celtic race has been captivated the reports of Irish agrarianism show. There must be an end, at all events, of paltering and twaddle. If MR. PARNELL can be said ever to have worn a mask he wears it no more. Not local self-government, in any form, or under any name, but separation is his demand. He aims at severing Ireland from England and forming it into an independent and hostile republic. This he hopes to accomplish by wrecking the legislature of the United Kingdom, and in that attempt again he looks for success to the help which he will receive from the selfish madness of the British factions. British statesmen can feign ignorance no longer; if they mean to be traitors they will have to look their treason in the face. If they mean to buy the Irish vote at the next election by letting Ireland go, they had better let it go at once and altogether. The *Standard* is perfectly right in saying that worst of all would be Home Rule with MR. PARNELL still at Westminster. Entire separation would have its advantages: there would be an end of the enslavement of Great Britain by its internal factions to the Irish vote.

IN the pursuit of her plans of colonial aggrandizement Germany has come into collision with Spain. The point of dispute between the two powers is the group known as the Caroline Islands in the South Pacific. These islands were discovered by Spain in the sixteenth century, and have usually been counted among the Spanish colonial possessions. The German view appears to be that whatever rights Spain acquired in the Carolines she has lost by non-user. Prince Bismarck's organ, the *North German Gazette*, declares that the only attempt made by Spain to claim the Carolines as Spanish territory was resisted by both Germany and England, who sent formal protests to the Spanish government ten years ago. Germany's action in the matter has provoked intense opposition in Spain, where numerous anti-German demonstrations have been made. The Government declares that it has acted on the belief the Spain has no rights in the Islands, and asserts its willingness to have the question submitted to the arbitrament of some power friendly to both parties.

IRON FOUNDING AND SHIP INDUSTRIES OF BRITAIN.

In response to wide inquiries made by the Iron Trades Employers' Association of England, more than 700 returns have been received, representing engineering, moulding, steam-boiler making, and iron shipbuilding trades, and covering these lines of industries to the extent of 110,000 workmen. The report is by no means cheering. The general result shows that trade is declared good only upon returns employing under 2500 hands, moderate upon those covering 25,000 hands, and bad or very bad over the remaining area covering an employment of 90,500 men. It should be added to the foregoing that the localities where trade is active are largely confined to the government war departments, or to establishments directly influenced by naval or military requirements. As will be seen upon inspection of other details in this statement, trade is not declared good in any other part of the kingdom. In the following analysis the whole of north Britain is taken into account, with the following results: The several districts in Scotland embraced in this inquiry give employment in the engineering and shipbuilding trades to 21,000 men, of which the iron ship-building trade finds work for rather more than half the number. An inspection of the tables giving the data under consideration brings out the fact that trade is moderate in districts or centers finding employment for 2000 men, and bad over an area finding employment under ordinary conditions for 19,000 hands. In Ireland the returns examined show an employment in round numbers of 4000 hands. In centers employing not more than 400 men, trade is declared moderately active. In the remaining districts, covering an employment of 3600 men, it is found to be bad to a degree hitherto unknown. For the first time since the association was formed, the committee have felt bound to give prominence to this subject; not from a desire to excite undue apprehension, but from a conviction that the figures now given will be read with interest all over the kingdom. Accompanying the data upon which the preceding statements rests, the committee have unvarying testimony as to rapidly falling prices for the work to hand. Nor is this experience confined to the mechanical engineering and ship-building trades simply. Producers in the iron making trades have the same conditions to contend with, and unless an unusual stimulus is given to these industries in the near future, the consequences may assume serious proportions alike to employers and workmen.

REFUSES A CLEAN SWEEP.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND has positively refused to make a "clean sweep" in the federal offices, and the question is now discussed whether or not he has the support of his party in his decision. Judging from such indications as appear on the surface, the administration is complimented by hostility of the noisy class to whom a political conflict is merely a struggle for the control of patronage, while it is not losing but is rather gaining in strength with the disinterested elements of the party, which, it is to be hoped, constitute the great bulk of it. The severest critics of the President within his party are to be found among those who were opposed to his election to the chief magistracy, and this circumstance will without doubt not be without its influence when the verdict of the party upon the course of its official chief is made up. Certain is it that such formal action as has been taken by accredited representatives of the Democrats regarding the President's course must be regarded as an indorsement of his conduct. Such, for instance, was the nature of the declarations made by the state conventions held lately in Ohio, Iowa, Mississippi and Pennsylvania. The President may have some conflict with representatives of his party over the civil-service question, but the signs that the conflict is to assume any proportions do not accumulate.

PERSONS desirous of purchasing copies of the book written by General Grant should be careful to see that the book offered them is not a history of General Grant written by someone else. There has been a large output of biographies of the great soldier, many of them excellent works no doubt, but purchasers who want only General Grant's book should not be deceived by similar titles or take for granted that the book offered is the book they desire.

EARL DUDLEY, who is only eighteen years of age, is at present in Brazil, a guest of Dos Pedro. The young Earl left England almost six weeks before his father's death on a three years' tour abroad, and as he could not possibly return in time for the funeral, it was decided that he should carry out the original plan. He intends proceeding to Canada, and having taken a trip over the Canadian Pacific Railway, he will spend six weeks in the Rockies, buffalo hunting.

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je23 law 2m GEORGE McALLISTER.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land, situate at Homfray Channel, New Westminster District, described as follows:
Commencing at Mr. Lewis' northeast corner; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to Wm. Lewis' northwest corner; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.
je23law 2m F. PAFFORD.

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IS HEREBY given that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate at Salmon River Valley, described as follows: Commencing at a post about 1¼ miles below the mouth of Memekay river on Salmon river, and running west 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, more or less, to the bank of the Memekay river, thence following the banks of the Memekay and Salmon rivers to the point of commencement.
CHRISTOPHER IRVING.
Victoria, August 4, 1885. aug4 2m w

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NOTICE is hereby given that we, the undersigned, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to cut timber on the following described lands:
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GEORGE BYALY.
Victoria, August 20, 1885. aug20 w 6m

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NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land, more or less, situated near Blenkinsop Bay, Johnson's Straits, N. W. coast of British Columbia, commencing at a stake near the outlet of a lake situated about two miles N. E. of said bay and running west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence northwards 80 chains to point of commencement.
je23 law 2m. M. C. IRELAND.

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WM. LEWIS.
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J. H. RANSDELL.
Victoria, B. C., August 4, 1885. aug4 2mw

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Commencing at a stake on the sea shore, about four miles north of Seymour Narrows, thence running west 40 chains, thence north 100 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 100 chains to the point of commencement, and more northward to point of commencement.
June 18, 1885. M. C. IRELAND. je22 tawlm

Notice.

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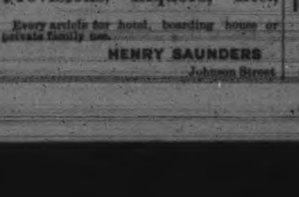
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The Daily Times.

Victoria, Friday, Sept. 11, 1885.

How Tea Should Be Made.

[Wong Choo Foo in The Cook.]

Use a china or porcelain pot. If you do use metal let it be tin, new, bright and clean; never use it when the tin is worn and the iron exposed. If you do you are playing chemist and forming a tannate or tenate of iron.

Use black tea. Green tea when good is kept at home. What goes abroad is bad, very bad and horrible. Beside containing 203 adulterations the Chinese philanthropist puts up for the outside barbarian, it is always pervaded by copper dust from the dirty curing pans at the growers'.

Infuse your tea. Don't boil it! Place one teaspoonful of tea in the pot and pour over it one and a half cups of boiling water—that is! water really boiling. If your tea is poor, use more. It is cheaper, though, to buy good tea at the outset. Put your pot on the back part of the stove, carefully covered, so that it shall not lose its heat and the tea is bouquet. Let it remain there five minutes. Then drink it.

Drink your tea plain. Don't add milk nor sugar. Tea brokers and tea-tasters never do; epicures never do; the Chinese never do. Milk contains fibrin, albumen or some other such stuff, and the tea a delicate amount of tannin. Mixing the two makes the liquid turbid. This turbidity, if I remember the cyclopedia aright, is tannate of fibrin, or leather. People who put milk in tea are, therefore, drinking boots and shoes in mild disguise.

Proper Care of Our Sleeping-Rooms.

[Dr. S. W. Bowles in "Good Housekeeping."]

No one can deny the need of proper care of the place where we pass at least one-third of the twenty-four hours of each day, while we are seeking the rest that shall best fit us for the labor and cares of the working hours, and the fresher and better prepared we are, so much more satisfactory will be the results of our undertakings. It is poor economy to take care of our bodies all day, selecting what is best to eat, and wisest to wear, and then neutralize all by weakening our system by breathing air in our bedrooms poisoned by our own exhalations.

There is no danger in pure air; only those who have slept "in camp," absolutely bathed in pure air, realize to the fullest extent the expression, "refreshing sleep." You arise hungry from your couch, exhilarated, elastic, ready for anything, and feel that life is worth living for itself alone. Every one in good health should leave the room where the night has been passed rested and refreshed, if the hygienic condition of the room is as it should be. Perchance few can produce in the bed-chamber all the purity of amosphere that is the perquisite of the dweller in tents, but, at least, we can strive for it, and the nearer we approach the greater the rewards.

Take Care of Baby's Milk.

[Babyhood.]

Too much emphasis cannot be given to the injunction to keep milk sweet in hot weather. The infant's natural nourishment needs almost as much care in summer as does the consumer of it. The best method of keeping it unchanged, and therefore wholesome, is to set it in a clean, cold refrigerator as soon as it comes into the house. When it is needed, take the pitcher or cup into which it is to be poured to the refrigerator, not the milk-pan into the kitchen. Nurses generally neglect this precaution. The pan is often left in the heated outer air for five, ten, fifteen minutes, thus causing the milk to "turn."

In the country, where ice is not readily obtainable, a really good cellar, a springhouse, or a dairy through which runs a living stream of water is the next best thing to a refrigerator. If none of these is at hand, pour the milk intended for the baby into a clean stone jug, cork it securely, tie oiled silk over the stopper and suspend the vessel in the well.

Why Women Break Down.

[Inter Ocean.]

There is little doubt that women are breaking down more rapidly than men, because they allow themselves to take less real rest. When a man drops his business he drops it. When a woman lets go of any work she may have in mind she ties it to her apron string, as it were. She has been taught through long ages of training that it is a high crime and a misdemeanor to let anything escape her mind, so she is constantly when she is at rest pinching herself or prodding herself to see if she hasn't forgotten something. In this way she carries the burdens of her work into her resting hours, and sits down among the roses of relaxation with her foot on the treadle of the grindstone of pro y drudgery.

If men kept their noses to the grind-tone with womanly persistence they would be nervous and irritable beyond compare. If women would get their own consent to rest they would have better complexions, better stomach, and a happier life.

The Ancient Feather-Bed.

[Nebraska Farmer.]

Will the day ever come when the ancient feather-beds of our grandmothers will be utterly banished from our homes, when it will be counted no prize for the little granddaughter to have handed down to her "grandma's best feather-bed," and all its belongings. I know a house that holds a baker's dozen of these valuable relics of the dark ages, and I am confident that some of these geese from whose breasts those feathers were plucked quacked at the close of the last century. It is a most remarkable house for funerals.

A thousand times better a blanket and a sweater is a good straw bed, which you can change often and wash clean every spring. A comfortable mattress over it is luxurious enough for a king.

Young Women Who Flirt.

[Pittsburg Chronicle.]

There is another feature of the case which should be carefully considered by flirting young women. Whatever ideas they may entertain to the contrary, it may be set down as an absolute truth that when a respectable young man desires the acquaintance of one who may some day be his wife he does not go out on the street and seek to make that acquaintance by flirtation; in direct opposition, such a one he would not marry under any circumstances, for he desires that his wife, like Cæsar's, "be above suspicion." The flirting girl should bear in mind that she is a by-word among those with whom she flirts, and that the prolonged indulgence of her folly will but serve to fasten a stigma upon her name which will long outlast her years of indiscretion, and will cause her to be shunned by wife-seeking young men through knowledge of her former reputation.

An Early Riser.

[Foreign Letter.]

Queen Marguerite, of Italy, is an early riser and spends several hours before breakfast in reading philosophical and scientific works, of which she carefully writes down her impressions. Between breakfast and lunch she usually takes a walk with King Humbert, and after lunch often plays ball with her son.

Of a Finer Quality.

[Texas Siftings.]

Boys, as a rule, are a nuisance, but there is always something about our own that makes them a little superior to others. They are of a finer quality of material, and the noise that they make is not the harsh and nerve-destroying kind that other boys make.

Millionaires' Wives in the Kitchen.

Mrs. W. H. Vanderbilt makes excellent cake, and is especially successful with a certain kind of sponge cake of her own invention. Mr. Cyrus W. Field, more practical, is noted among her acquaintances for her fine bread.

CHINESE COOKING.

CUISINE OF THE MONGOLIAN RESTAURANTS OF NEW YORK CITY.

Dining in Genuine Oriental Style—The Various Courses—Cost of a Good Dinner—The Element of Surprise—Simplicity.

[Wong Chin Foo in Chicago News.]

In the last two years New York fashionable society has cultivated a new craze—Christianizing and educating John Chinaman. Every church patronized by the creme de la creme has its Chinese class, its Chinese teachers, its Chinese night-school. Like most crazes, it accomplishes but little in the way sought. It has done much, however, in turning attention to Chinatown and in making known many things that heretofore were Celestial mysteries. Among these is the Mongolian restaurant. It is safe to say that in 1880 not more than a hundred New Yorkers had ever dined in oriental style. In 1885 the number is far up among the thousands. The average American, when he first approaches the Chinese table, does so in fear and trembling. Vague presentiments of ragouts of rats, mayonnaises of mice, and similar luxuries float through his mind. Nine times out of ten he leaves the table with the conviction that he has learned something, and that the almond-eyed sons of the queue are the best cooks in the world. So he goes again, and with him brings two or three inquisitive or adventurous friends.

There are six Chinese restaurants proper in the Mongolian settlement. Each is famous for some dish or style of cooking. The Delmonico of the number is Yu-Use-Fang-Lan, at 14 Mott street. Here repair Canton importers and Hong Kong merchants from 'Frisco, flush gamblers and wealthy laundrymen. All of the restaurants are run on the same plan. A plain wood floor, swept and scrubbed hourly till it fairly shines; simple pine or walnut tables, small stools, crimson banners and mottoes on the walls, and a lavish display of curious porcelain vessels in racks and stands characterize one and all.

You have never dined, reader, under such auspices. With two friends you enter Yu Ung's and perch on a stool near a large square table. The next moment the attendant has put down in front of you a tea-pot filled with fresh, boiling tea, a tea-cup one-third the size of those used by Americans, two ebony chop-sticks, a porcelain spoon, a tiny liqueur bowl, and a saucer filled with a chocolate fluid called so-yu. This is a hybrid between salt and dilute Worcestershire sauce. From its name comes the familiar British term "soy." The first course is cold roast chicken, served with pickled perfumed turnip. The flesh is tender, snow-white and free from sauce. It is cut into small pieces, but these are arranged so as to preserve the outline of the fowl. You seize a piece with your chop-sticks, dip it in the sauce, and then eat it in solemn silence.

The next course is fresh fish, steamed, boiled, or fried whole and covered with a dark and very aromatic sauce. With it is served a bowl heaped to overflowing with rice. It is cooked as only the Chinese can—each grain soft and tender but distinct from its fellows. Next appears a bowl of chicken soup, on whose surface floats a few thin slices of some green vegetables. Then follow roast duck with pickled carrot, chow-chop-sue (a ragout of chicken liver, lean pork, bamboo-tip, celery, bean-shoots and onion), dried fish, steamed chopped pork, macaroni and chicken, and dainty dumplings filled with spiced hashed meats.

With the foods are served tiny pitchers of liqueurs. One is a brown rice arrack, the second a date brandy, and the third an orange gin. The nearest approaches to these in the American bar-room are Batavia arrack, pear brandy and green curaçoa. All the dishes are well cooked and served, and all are a novelty to the most blase gourmet. The made dishes especially are new and strange.

The next surprise is the bill. The same or an equivalent dinner at an average restaurant would cost a party of three persons at least $5.50; in a first-class hotel, $8.50. At Yu Ung's, however, the cost is but $2.45. Of course the Mongolian has luxuries, and pays for them "alle samee Melican man." A duck half boiled and stuffed with almonds, chestnuts, raisins, watermelon seeds, imported spices, and roasted, is worth $2. A sucking pig similarly treated brings $5 to $7. Bird's nest soup at 50 cents a portion, shark's fins fricasseed at 40, dragon flies ragout at 25, and sea-worm at 75 are other instances in point. It is not uncommon for a Chinese dinner to cost $5 a plate, exclusive of wine, and on state occasions $40 a head has been the price paid by the giver of the feast.

At these great dinners a feature of the cooking is the element of surprise. A dish of apparently hard-boiled eggs is placed before you. You open one and it is filled with a purplish custard, flavored with violets, a second has a brown filling, colored and flavored with chocolate, and a third a russet-tinted and perfumed cream. A second dish of eggs will contain assorted teas and ice-creams. Again, the attendant deposits before you what seems a well-boiled trout. Your chopstick removes the fish-head and skin at one touch and discloses a long dumpling filled with delicious chopped meat or game. Another charming dish consists apparently of small, well-fried potatoes. Each one, however, is a thin shell of rice, thoroughly cooked dough, containing vegetables, poultry, fish, game, or meat.

While dining you have a good opportunity to study the domestic habits of the Mongolian race. However crowded the restaurant may be, quiet reigns, broken only by the orders of the steward and waiters to the cooks, and the "thank you" of the guest. In English the latter practice would become monotonous. In Chinese there are seven expressions for one, and a happy variety therefore exists. They eat leisurely, and almost invariably leave a portion of their food untouched. Each, as he begins his meal, pours a tablespoonful of tea into his cup, and then, by a dexterous swing of the wrist, throws the liquid in a semi-circle on the floor. The custom, or ceremony, seems to have had a religious meaning in remote antiquity, but to-day is kept up for luck, or perhaps from mere habit.

Another feature is the simplicity of their diet. At four tables the meal being eaten consists of tea, a bowl of rice, a small fish, a piece of chicken, and a saucer of sliced perfumed pork. In ordering a dish they order by value only. It is "10 cent fish," "15 cents chicken," and never "plate of roast beef," "piece of pie," etc., as with Americans. But few indulge in stipulants. Those who do combine into pools of two, three or four and then order "18 cents arrack." The whole amount is hardly more than the straight whisky of a Chicago rounder.

Hand-to-Hand Fighting.

[Philadelphia Call.]

In the Franco-German war, out of 65,160 Germans killed, but 218 were killed by saber and clubbed musket. The killed by the saber in six months, including Worth, Tobaccine and Sedan, together with the battles of the Loire and the northern provinces, as well as in the outpost service, extending over nearly half of France, were six, notwithstanding that there were 40,000 cavalry engaged.

Whisk Broom Holder.

[Detroit Free Press.]

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Make Your Choice.

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Winnipeg	116 90	93 00	57 50

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CHICAGO & GRAND TRUNK

TIME TABLE.

Chicago & Grand Trunk and Grand Trunk Railways.

	Limited Express.	Atlantic Express.
Lv. Chicago via C. & G. T. Railway	5.21 P.M.	8.50 P.M.
Ar. Port Huron	1.35 A.M.	7.00 A.M.
" London	4.30 "	11.20 "
" Hamilton	6.50 A.M.	1.55 P.M.
" Suspension Bridge	8.05 A.M.	3.15 P.M.
" Buffalo	9.15 A.M.	5.10 P.M.
" Toronto	8.10 A.M.	7.10 P.M.
" Montreal	7.00 P.M.	7.15 A.M.
" Portland	12.35 P.M.	6.20 P.M.
" Boston via Niagara Falls	12.10 A.M.	8.35 A.M.
" Boston via Montreal	8.30 A.M.	7.05 P.M.
" New York	10.00 A.M.	7.30 P.M.

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Condensed Through Time Table.

Passengers going South and East will find the following time card of interest:

Distance.	Distance from Victoria.	Miles.	STATIONS.	Time.	Time from Victoria.
5 30 P.M.	161	0	Lv. Portland Ar	9 10 A.M.	4th day
5 45 "	161		East Portland	8 55 "	
6 "		66	Ar. Hood River Lv	4 15 "	
10 00 "			Ar. Dalles Lv	3 50 "	
10 05 "			Lv. Dalles Ar	3 40 "	
2 15 A.M.		197	Lv. Umatilla Lv	10 35 P.M.	
4 20 "		265	Ar. Wallula Junction Lv	9 20 "	
4 30 "			Lv. Wallula Junction Ar	3 30 "	
6 55 "		314	Palouse Junction	6 25 "	
10 00 "		345	Ar. Spokane Lv	3 35 "	
10 05 "		345	Lv. Spokane Ar	3 30 "	
2 15 P.M.		388	Cheney	1 30 "	
2 25 "			Spokane Falls	1 24 "	
3 20 "			Rathdrum	11 37 A.M.	
11 30 A.M.		410	Missoula	7 40 "	
2 25 "		507	Garrison	9 50 P.M.	
8 30 "		575	Ar. Helena Lv	6 15 "	
8 40 "		575	Lv. Helena Ar	6 05 "	
11 30 P.M.		659	Bozeman	1 35 "	
7 30 "		790	Billings	5 15 P.M.	
2 25 "		790	Bismarck	11 25 "	
11 00 A.M.	58	1444	Fargo	3 40 "	
2 30 "		1628	Brainerd	9 45 P.M.	
12 30 P.M.	468	1910	Ar. St. Paul Lv	4 00 "	

Emigrant train leaves East Portland daily, at 6.30 A. M., arriving at 7.30 P. M., daily. Time, 5½ days each way.

Steamer leaves Ash Street Wharf at 5.30 P. M. and East Portland at 6.00 P. M., connecting with N. P. R. R. train for all points east.

Northern Pacific train to connect with Puget Sound and Victoria boats leaves Portland daily at 9.25 A. M., arriving at Tacoma at 6.05 P. M.; leaves Tacoma for Portland at 7.35 A. M., and arrives at 4.15 P. M.

Arrival and Departure of Steamers

For Port Townsend and all points on the Sound—O. R. & N. Co.'s steamer Olympia leaves Victoria every morning, Sundays excepted, 7.30 p. m. Victoria time making close connection with the N. P. R. R. at Tacoma.

For Seattle, via Port Townsend—The Eliza Anderson leaves every Sunday, Wednesday and Friday morning at 7 a. m.

For Nanaimo—The Amelia sails every Monday, Wednesday and Friday morning at 7 o'clock.

For Burrard Inlet—The Steamer Western Slope leaves C. P. N. Co's wharf every Tuesday at 9 o'clock a.m.

For New Westminster, Port Hammond and way ports—The Yosemite leaves Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at 7 a. m.

New Westminster Route—Steamer Idaho will save Tacoma every Wednesday at 5 p. m.; Seattle at midnight; Port Townsend, Thursday at 9 a. m., returning leaves New Westminster via San Juan Island, every Saturday, at 6 a. m., arriving at Tacoma on Sunday.

For New Westminster, Port Hammond and way Ports.—The steamer Yosemite leaves Turner, Beebe & Co.'s wharf Tuesday and Friday at 5 p. m.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY give notice I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, more or less, situated on the S. E. side of Gordon Pasha Lake and lake being about three miles from the sea coast and four miles from Scotch Fir Point, Mosedena Straits, N. W. coast of British Columbia, and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake at N. W. corner of M. C. Ireland's claim and running east 80 chains thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains; thence west to shore of lake; thence in a southerly direction, following shore of lake to point of commencement.

JOHN MCKAY.

Dated 20th August, 1885. au20-30

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Ladner's Landing, New Westminster and Pt Hammond	7 A.M.	.....	7 A.M.	.....	7 A.M.	.....
Plumper Pass	7 A.M.	.....	.....	.....	7 A.M.	.....
Granville, Moodyville, Pt Moody	8 A.M.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chilliwhack	7 A.M.	.....	.....	.....	7 A.M.	.....
Yale	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

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Arrive Riviere du Loup	12.05 P.M.
" Campbellton	7.05 "
" Dalhousie Junction	7.40 "
" Bathurst	9.00 "
" Newcastle	10.0 "
" Moncton	1.40 A.M

The Daily Times.

PUBLISHED EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Victoria, Friday, Sept. 11. 1885.

Lost--Reward.

A Route Subscription List, in a pocket time Book, belonging to THE TIMES OFFICE, *was lost last Tuesday evening. It is of no value to any one except this office. A handsome reward will be paid any one leaving the same at the Counting Room of* THE TIMES *Office.*

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

While the TIMES is always prepared to give publicity to the views of correspondents on any question of interest to the public, provided facts are given, couched in unobjectionable language, we wish it to be understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the views expressed by the writers thereof.

Nor can we give room to duplicates of letters that have appeared in our contemporaries either in this city or elsewhere in the province. Correspondents, therefore, will save time and trouble in preparing such for THE TIMES, as they will be rejected.

Our space is valuable, and brevity, as far as possible, should be observed in writing on any topic, and on ONE SIDE of the sheet only.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—A letter awaits "C. B." in this office.

—The five Chinamen who arrived by the Queen yesterday paid $50 each.

—Before purchasing Real Estate or insuring your life, see Rand Bros. *

—John H. Gallagher, Esq., has been appointed a Justice of the Peace, for the electoral district of Cowichan.

—The atmosphere was purified and the smoke and vapors dispelled by a sharp thunder storm this afternoon.

—The dust question has been effectually settled, with the exception, perhaps, of a few days, until next spring.

—The Eliza Anderson will in future leave Victoria for Seattle at 6 a. m. on Wednesdays and Fridays, and 7 a. m. on Sundays.

—Work on the new theater is rapidly progressing. The frescoers and painters have commenced, and the scenery for the stage is well advanced.

—In the county court yesterday judgments were given for several plaintiffs against Uriah Nelson for an aggregate sum of about $3000.

—Major Dupont's residence was entered by a burglar on Wednesday night, and a gold watch and a six-shooter were carried off.

—The annual exhibition of the Cowichan, Salt Spring and Chemainus Agricultural Society will be held on the 20th September.

—Mr. R. Broderick has resigned his position at the outer wharf, and has been succeeded by Captain Wise, of San Francisco.

—The "Pirates of Penzance" was rehearsed again last evening at the new theatre. The new scenes being painted by Mr. Porter, were greatly admired.

—The Yosemite brought down 225 cases of salmon, 375 bales of hay, 100 sacks of oats and vegetables, and 75 head of cattle.

—The steward of the Royal Hospital gratefully acknowledges the receipt of a package of linen from Mr. Allsop, and a basket of fruit from Mrs. Ellery.

—A letter received to-day from Chilton says: "The crops have been good, and some farmers are beginning to thresh their grain. Altogether we have had a splendid summer."

—Two deserters from the Satellite, unable to find employment on the Sound, gave themselves up last evening, and were taken on board the Constance by Sergt. Sheppard.

—The new school addition to be built on the school reserve will be two stories, brick, 68x28. It will contain four rooms, each for 70 pupils, and a large hall. The entrance is approached from Moss street.

—The sealing schooner City of San Diego, mentioned yesterday as having returned from Behring's Sea, brought 1953 seal skins—one of the biggest catches on record. All the other schooners have done well.

—Late reports from Kootenay leave the impression that the mining industry in that district is in a very satisfactory condition. Whisky selling there, as elsewhere, is one of the country's greatest curses.

—A cricket match will be played to-morrow at Beacon Hill Park between the Victoria club and a team from the fleet. Wickets will be pitched at 10:30 a. m. The band of the flagship will be in attendance during the afternoon.

—The customs inspectors, under Collector Beecher, of Port Townsend, are now arrayed in fine costumes. The cap is decorated with a gold band, and the badge, with the inscription "U. S. Customs Inspector," in gold letters.

—The city gaol is now full to overflowing, Mr. Hutcheson having to-day seventy-six persons under his charge. The government will have to make haste with the new gaol, as there is apparently an increase in the number of those guilty of minor offences.

—For the long term of eighteen years Mr. Lewis Lewis has occupied the position of President of the Victoria Hebrew Society, the duties of which office he has discharged to the satisfaction of the membership of that organization, and credit to himself.

—List of letters detained for postage: Mr I Lintott, city; B F Dillon, Esquimalt; Wm Anthony, New Westminter; A R Harris, Tacoma; W. T.; Miss A L Stevenson, Lytton, B. C.; Wo Chong, Portland, Ogn.; Miss S J Wilson, Nanaimo, B. C.; Mrs T A Anthony, Laramie City, Wy. T.; Theo A Ward, Tacoma, W. T.

—Messrs. Nicholles & Renouf, our enterprising hardware firm, have imported, for Mr. E. Lequime, Okanagan, a complete flouring mill, manufactured by the Waterous Engine Co., of Brantford, Ont. The machinery, which comprises every thing for a modern flour mill and a turbine wheel to drive it, is of the latest improved description, and of superior workmanship. It will be sent to the purchaser at once.

—The Geo. E. Starr, brought freight for: A Olsen, A Meyer, B E Woods, G Strouss & Co, C M Bucher, C L Payne, E B Carmichael, Prior, Hastings S M Co, Hutchison Y & Co, Hirst Bros, J Oliver, J A Marn, J Harvey, Gosnell, Fell, Mason & Daley, Leiser, Lenz, Marvin & Tilton, B McDonald, Turner B & Co, Welch R & Co, Wm Cull, W R Austin, W H Megan, Lovell, Lasher, W Raybould, Redmond, Saunders, H Tilton, Carne & Munsie, Johnson & Co, J E Hamilton.

Blue Jackets in Trouble.

Three blue jackets were committed to the custody of Gaoler Hutchenson this morning, two of them for ninety days each, and one for forty-two days. The charge, on which they were court-martialed, and convicted, was for breaking out of ship and absenting themselves therefrom without leave. On Tuesday next some seven or eight more blue jackets are expected at the city barracks for a similar offence.

THE C. P. R. GAPS.

Being Gradually Filled Up—Stations on the North Shore of Superior Named.

Preparatory to opening the line for traffic the officers of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company have just completed the naming of the stations on the road between Biscotasing and Port Arthur. Three of these will be termini of divisions, namely, Chapleau, White River, and Schreiber. The last division east of Chapleau, on the completed section of the road, ends at Archer, 480 miles from Montreal and 54 miles east of Biscotasing. The divisions are 134, 133, 118, and 131 miles apart respectively. The eastern division of the whole line, which is under the charge of Mr. Wm. Whyte, general superintendent, ends at Port Arthur. The following is the list of the stations with their distances from Montreal, viz:

Name.	Mileage from Montreal.	Name.	Mileage from Montreal.
Biscotasing	534.3	Bremner	762.0
Duchesnay	542.3	Quimet	768.8
Ramsay	549.3	Trudeau	777.0
Larchwood	556.3	Montmorency	786.7
Woman River	564.3	Melgrin	795.5
Minnehago	572.3	Heron Bay	802.3
Ridout	581.3	Peninsula	812.0
Sinogama	590.3	Stewart	823.5
Nemegosenda	599.3	Middleton	830.5
Lac Poitin	605.8	Steel Lake	839.7
Chapleau Divisional Yard.	614.3	Jackfish	848.8
		Black River	858.5
Esher	621.8	Schreiber Divisional Yard.	865.5
Pardee	629.3		
Brunel	638.3	Rossport	880.0
Windermere	645.3	Pay's Plat	886.6
Bolckow	652.3	Gravel River	906.0
Dalton	660.3	Norris	916.0
Carry	667.3	Matokama	924.9
Missanabie	675.3	Fire Hill	932.6
Turnbull	686.3	Nepigon	939.6
Otter	694.3	Red Rock	952.6
Williams	702.3	Sturgeon River	949.0
Grasett	710.3	Wolf River	951.6
Girdwood	719.3	Pearl Siding	956.0
Amyot	727.3	McVicar's	961.0
O'Brien	737.3	Loon Lake	969.0
White River Divisional Yard	747.0	McKenzie	983.0
		McLean's	990.0
Denison	754.5	Port Arthur	996.0

There are one or two of the stations which may have their names changed yet, notably Sturgeon River, which is too much like Sturgeon Falls, a station on the main line, 24 miles west of North Bay and 389 miles west of Montreal. There will also be sidings or stations between Schrieber and Rossport, and between Loon Lake and McKenzie, but their names and positions have not yet been finally determined. It will be noticed that a number of stations have been named after officers of the volunteer battalions and batteries which marched to the front over the gaps in the road.

M. SANDBORN "HELD UP."

A Daring Highway Robbery Last Night.

A man named Smith, who arrived in the city from Eagle Pass on Tuesday last and put up at the Vancouver House, was arrested this morning, between one and two o'clock, by Officer McLaren, and is now in gaol. The charge against him is of a very serious character, and is made by M. Sandborn. The latter informed the officer, who was on duty at the time, that Smith had accosted him a few minutes previously, at the corner of Yates and Broad streets, and presenting a revolver at his breast, compelled him to throw up his hands, Sandborn, afraid that his daring assailant would pull the trigger, did as he was ordered, and the highwayman then went through his pockets and took all his money, amounting to about $50. Smith was pointed out to the policeman at the Adelphi shortly after the occurrence, and was taken in charge. When searched the sum of $4 was found in his pockets and some cartridges, but no revolver. On inquiring at the Vancouver House, it was learned that Smith came in about the hour of the alleged robbery and after handing a revolver to the night clerk retired to his room. A short time afterward he went out, taking the revolver with him, so that he must have got rid of it again before being arrested. These facts will be brought out in the police court to-morrow, and unless the prisoner can give a good account of himself he will stand a fair chance of appearing before the next assizes for highway robbery.

Possibly He Intended Suicide.

A citizen, who resides in James Bay, when going home at a late hour last night, saw a suspicious looking person on the bridge, just ahead of him, whose actions threw the worthy citizen into a paroxysm of alarm. The stranger walked swiftly and noiselessly ahead, until near the center of the bridge where he stopped and looked down into the waters of the bay as though contemplating suicide. The apprehensions of the gentleman were aroused and turning back to give the alarm, the strange individual also turned and followed him; the citizen increased his pace—so did the other—until finally, almost out of breath a policeman was met. The guardian of the law accompanied the gentleman home, but nothing more was seen of the mysterious individual, who evidently had been disturbed in his suicidal intentions.

Robbed in Portland.

The Oregonian says that a stranger, lately from Victoria, an engineer by profession, was found roaming around the streets at Albina in an intoxicated condition. He said that he had been drugged in a saloon the evening before and robbed of $170 in Canadian bank notes and $27 in coin. His coat and vest were found on some stones under Montgomery's dock. In one of the pockets was a certificate on the Portland Savings bank for $150. The lager of Portland is evidently too strong for one who has been used to the bitter beer of British Columbia.

Still Another Gone.

Captain Joseph Middleton, a well-known pioneer of the province, died at St. Joseph's Hospital this morning, aged 47 years. He was a native of Marsden, Lancashire, England, and was owner of the "Eliza," chartered by the Dominion government for several years as a lightship for the Fraser River. The old pioneers have been crossing the great "divide" in large numbers during the present year, and at best it will be but a brief interval until the last of the class has gone to his final home.

Hebrew Observances.

With to-day's sunset the celebration by the Hebrews of this city of the Jewish New Year terminates. The festivities began with the sunset on Wednesday and continued for forty-eight hours. Services were held this morning in the Hebrew synagogue, Blanchard street, and conducted by Messrs. Bornstein, Isaacs and President Lewis. On Friday next at sunset's day of fasting will begin, and for twenty-four hours not so much as a drop of water is allowed to touch the lips of such as are of that faith.

Another Canadian Victorious.

Harry Boakes, of Quebec, the champion court tennis player of Canada, won three out of four games played with Pettit, the world's champion, at the Casino, Newport, R. I., on the 26th ult. Pettit gave his opponent 30 on every alternate game and 15 on the others.

Thanksgiving Service.

The harvest thanksgiving service will take place at Cedar Hill, on Sunday next, at 3 p.m. The church is being beautifully decorated for the occasion by the ladies of the parish.

A large assortment of PAPER and ENVELOPES and GENERAL STATIONERY just received at

M. W. WAITT & Co.'s.

AN ABSCONDER ABDUCTED.

The Robber of the St. Albans Bank Forcibly Kidnapped.

WINNIPEG, Man., Sept. 9.—The kidnapping of Lawrence Brainerd, absconding American bank president, is the sensation of the day. Brainerd, after robbing the St. Albans, Vt., Savings bank a year ago and ruining scores of farmers and others, went to Denver. He came here with his wife about four months ago and concealed his identity by registering as Mr. Jackson. Two months ago two Boston detectives came here and one became acquainted with Brainerd. Last Saturday afternoon one of the detectives and Brainerd started south on a duck-shooting expedition. Several miles from the city, in a lonely place, they were joined by the other detective and a friend. Brainerd was informed that they knew who he was, and wanted him to go quietly with them across the border, to avoid the expense of legal proceedings. Brainerd refused, and the detectives overpowered him, bound him hand and foot, threw him into a wagon and started for the boundary in hot haste. It is alleged that in order to prevent detection while passing through country villages they drugged Brainerd with laudanum. As Brainerd did not return his wife became alarmed and communicated with the police and a law firm. The police who knew that the detectives were after Brainerd, started for the boundary with all speed to intercept the kidnappers. On the way to St. Vincent a railroad collision occurred, and the police had a narrow escape. On Sunday an other special train was chartered, and the police reached the boundary line, where the detectives, with Brainerd in custody, were found. The detectives refused to give their captive up, and while the police were searching for authorities to arrest the detectives, the latter put Brainerd in a wagon and drove off at railroad speed. This was the last seen of them, and they are now safe in Minnesota or Dakota. The Winnipeg police returned disgusted.

Lawrence Brainerd is 60 years old, and was for years a prominent man in Vermont. His father was once President of the Vermont Central railroad. He is a brother-in-law of ex-Governor Smith, President of the Vermont Central railroad, and was himself once President of the Lemoyne Valley railroad, the St. Albans savings bank and other concerns. He was thought to be immensely rich, and was honored highly, and was active in church and Sunday school work. He speculated with funds of his bank and wrecked it, causing the ruin of many business men and farmers in Vermont.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Chas. McDonough, of New Westminster, is ill at St. Joseph hospital.

Lieuts. Bethel and Smith-Dorrien departed for England yesterday.

S. H. Adams, V. L. Roth, Geo. Kline, J. E. Cross, San Francisco, and J. L. Lumir, New York, are at the Driard.

D. Bohan, Eagle Pass; Hector Toop, New Westminster; D. O'Connell, Carbonado, are at the Occidental.

Mr. Samuel Trapp, of Trapp Bros., merchants New Westminster, is in the city.

Mr. A. McLennac, formerly a contractor on the Lake Superior section of the C. P. R., left yesterday by the Olympian for Cornwall, Ont. He goes via Portland and San Francisco.

The Geo. E. Starr brought the following passengers: J J Thomas, Benton, O Connell, A Cameron, Mrs Browne, F Hepburn, Kirski, J E Harding, G Martin, Loomis, H Daniel.

W. A. Baillie-Grohman, Esq., left today for England by the Geo. E. Starr. He expects to be absent about three months. Mr. Groham is a racy writer and on more than one occasions has done much with his pen to bring British Columbia into prominence at home. His present visit is in connection with the enterprise in which he is engaged in the Kootenay district.

POLICE COURT.

(Before Edwin Johnson, Esq., S. M.)

Esther, a Fort Simpson squaw, drunk; $5 or one week.

John Rule, vagrancy; imprisoned for fourteen days at hard labor.

Wm. Thompson, assaulting Esther, a squaw; prisoner pleaded guilty to slapping Esther's face, and was fined $10 or fourteen days at hard labor.

L. Levy, infraction of the thistle by-law; information withdrawn, costs having been paid and thistles cut down.

Thomas Hampton and Robert Dickson, stealing $80 from Wm. Kirkwood. Officer Walker proved the arrest of the prisoners at Leech's cabin on Yates street on the 9th inst. On searching them at the gaol $13.95 was found on Hampton and five cents on Dickson. Prisoners admitted that complainant had $80 on Wednesday morning. Hampton stated that Dickson must have robbed him when he (Hampton) was away, and Dickson said Hampton must be the thief, as he had paid $5 for rent and had $13.95 left. Yesterday afternoon, the prisoner Hampton, having been duly cautioned, was asked where he had received the $20 gold piece he had changed with Mr. Lucas, and replied that he had got it from Thos. McEwen. McEwen was put in the box and swore that he had not given Hampton twenty dollars. Mr. Leach, owner of the cabins, testified that the prisoner Hampton had paid him five dollars rent about an hour before he was arrested.

The evidence having been read over, Hampton made a statement, and accused the witness McEwen of attempting to rob the complainant.

Both prisoners were committed to stand their trial at the next assizes.

Geo. Blackall, assaulting M. Kohl; fined $20.

Geo. Blackall, breaking through the door of a Chinese wash-house. Defendant claimed that there was a fire inside and that he wanted to get in to put it out. Case remanded until to-morrow to give Superintendent Bloomfield time to enquire into the alleged circumstances of a fire.

New Rolling Stock for the C. P. R.

The authorities of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company have added much to the comfort of the traveling public by placing on the line between Montreal and Toronto several new cars of a very handsome pattern. The first-class cars are very handsomely upholstered in green plush and they are fitted up with double plate glass windows and all modern improvements. The cars are carpeted and a buffet in one end enables the passengers to have hot tea and coffee and sandwiches if they desire to. The second-class are also very handsome. They are all sleeping cars and are fitted in dark oak relieved in parcels of lighter wood. The dining cars are fitted up similar to the first-class cars and the interior trimmings are done in embossed leather which gives a very handsome appearance to the cars. The kitchen attached to each dining car is a model of completeness. It contains a range large enough for the use of a good sized city house, ice boxes, sinks, steam tables, and in fact, all the arrangements pertaining to a first-class kitchen.

Chief Engineer Charles J. Phillips, Victoria Fire Department, is in the field for re-election next October.

The late Sir Francis Hincks never took a holiday in his life.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

Will Answer "One Who Knows."

GRAVE CREEK, Sept. 7th, 1885.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES.

SIR,—I have just received your valuable weekly, and I must say I was never more surprised then when I read the letter from "One Who Knows."

Now, sir, I do not wish to weary your readers with this matter, as there has been enough said already; but I ask you and your readers to have a little patience and bear with me in answering this the most wilful and untruthful letter that was ever written by mortal man. I well know the writer of this, and will answer every word as soon as time will permit. Yours,

EDWARD ALLEN.

Victoria's Sanitation and Sewage.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—I much rejoice that you now, from time to time, give your many readers items on the above important topics. All rate-payers should see to it that the city fathers, the men of their last year's choice, are doing their utmost to have the fullest knowledge ere embarking in any scheme of draining the city of Victoria. In these days, diverting the constituents of city sewage to the fertilizing of suburban lands, finding great favor in London, Paris and other great cities. Amongst other sources of knowledge our Municipal Council should obtain, through the Provincial Agent-General in London, the indefatigable Mr. Beeton, the recently published Blue Books containing the report of, and the evidence given before the Royal Commission on Metropolitan sewage discharge. The pouring of sewage into rivers or any harbors, small or large and thereby defiling them, should, if possible be, in enlightened Victoria, deemed a procedure of the past.

FARMER.

Should Resign.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—The public would like to know upon what ground Mr. R. Ward justifies his conduct in refusing to sign the check ordered by the Council to issue in favor of Mr. McMicking, as payment of an installment on the electric light purchase. The position he has taken is a very anomalous one. The Council has purchased the light and made several payments thereon. The bargain cannot be unmade, and even were the contumacious chairman of the Finance Committee successful in winning a majority of the Council to his side and a unanimous "kick" against further payment were made, Mr. McMicking would have recourse at law, and could enforce the payment of every dollar. But the majority of the Council are against Mr. Ward, who practically sets their dictum at defiance. I rather admire a man of strong convictions when he possesses the courage to stand by them at all hazards, and Mr. Ward has certainly shown on more than one occasion that he is not afraid to act in accordance with his conception of what is right. But when a strong minded man goes wrong, he always makes himself ridiculous. To so logical a mind it would have been manifest to Mr. Ward that it was his duty, if his conscience protested against the signing of the check, to immediately resign the position of chairman of the Finance Committee, because the same conscience should have told him that he was doing a moral and legal wrong in setting the will of the majority at defiance.

A WARD POLITICIAN.

HERAT AND MASHHAD.

A Rich Intervenig Country—Irrigation Necessary.

To enter into a detailed description of the country and scenery between Herat and Mashhad is unnecessary. Imagine one continuous valley, varying from 20 to 40 miles in breadth, bounded on either side by lofty rugged mountain ranges, varying from 5000 to 10,000 feet in height above the sea level (snow still lies in the crevices facing north.) The valley slopes gently from the lower spurs of the mountains to the river bed near the center. The uncultivated soil is overgrown with many varieties of low scrub, and now and then some grass and camel thorn. In the spring many beautiful flowers—tulips, lilies, etc.—appear, and fade at the approach of the sultry summer time. In places assafœtida and other umbelliferous plants, from three to four feet in height, vary the dead level of the scrub. The area under cultivation depends on the quantity of water available for irrigation. But the present population is far less numerous than that which the soil could support. Increased population would mean larger cultivation. The supply of water for irrigation could be artificially increased. The mountain sides are, in places, clad in a scant garb of juniper and other trees, all of dwarf stature.

Fuel is one of the scarcest and dearest commodities in that country. All else is very cheap—barley, green and dry fodder, meat, chickens, milk, eggs, fruit, vegetables, etc., anything, in fact, of local production. Imports are dear. The cereals grown are wheat, barley, and peas. Silkworms are also cultivated in almost every village. For purity, sweetness, and coolness, nothing can surpass the water of the mountain springs, and, for a simple scene of rural beauty, few places can vie with a mountain village. Some times the travelers will journey for several miles under an avenue of spreading walnut trees, intermingled with a dozen different species of fruit trees. On either side of the road, down or alongside of which flows a clear, cool rivulet, orchard succeeds orchard, while overhead the thick foliage of the walnut tree defies the penetrating rays of the sun. Such few and far-between spots when seen are not forgotten, especially if the wayfarer reaches, parched and weary, such a haven of rest. Villages so situated are not found as a rule at a lower altitude than 5000 feet above the sea-level, nor higher than from 8000 to 9000 feet. In the mountains that border on the Great Kavir, near Kashan (between Isfahan and Teheran) some such miniature paradises are to be found, and to the Mohammedan traveler ascending from the barren salt wind and sun-scorched plains of the Kavir, must seem like a foreshadowing of the haven that the Prophet has promised to the faithful. A simple Christian arriving from the arid rocks and barren sands of Sind, Afghanistan, Beloochistan, and the Persian Gulf littoral, tells that he would fain rest content in the Paradise that he has found. But fate is inexorable, and the road to Teheran, skirting that scorching Kavir, lies before him. So with a sigh he bids farewell to the cool stream and refreshing shade, and girds himself to face a wind that scorches like the breath of fire, and a sun whose fiery gleams know no mercy. Much is said of the heat of the Punjab and Upper Sind, but the region of the Great Kavir is not a bad third.

EXTRADITION CASE.

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice McCreight.)

FRIDAY, Sept. 11.

In the matter of Winslow D. Morgan arrested upon a charge of murder,

Mr. Hett, on behalf of the prosecution, applied for an eight day remand in order to produce evidence, the alleged murder having taken place in Beaverhead county, Territory of Montana. Superintendent Hoycraft gave evidence as to the arrest upon information received from the governor of Montana. The prisoner was remanded to Saturday, the 19th inst.

Meetings of Societies.

ST. ANDREWS and CALEDONIAN Society meets in their hall, corner Langley and Fort streets, on the FIRST FRIDAY of every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join.

sep 1-1y JAMES RUSSELL, Secretary.

Music Lessons.

A young lady who has had the advantage of receiving instruction in music from Professor Oliver King, (Pianist to Princess Louise) is desirous of obtaining a limited number of music pupils, and will give lessons at her residence, or if desired at their own homes. For particulars enquire at M. W. Waitt's music store. *

For the New Church.

The ladies of the Methodist congregation are engaged in preparing a bazaar in aid of the new church and any assistance will be gratefully received by the following ladies: Mrs. D. Spencer, Mrs. Shakespeare, Mrs. Burkholder and Mrs. G. Grant. *

Indian Curios.

Mr. Isaacs, having returned from the north with a very fine variety of rare Indian Curios, has now a stock which is well worth examining at the Indian Bazaar, Johnson street, corner Oriental alley. *

Eastern Shell Oysters, just received at the Poodle Dog.

BEADED BLACK SILK JERSEYS; Beaded Black Cashmere Jerseys; Plain Black Cashmere Jerseys, from $1.62½ each. Just received at the * CITY HOUSE.

Rand Bros., Real Estate and Insurance Agents, Victoria and New Westminster. *

NEUFELDER & ROSS are again receiving, weekly, by refrigerator express, WHITE CLOVER BUTTER. *

HEAVY CORDED BLACK SILKS, exceptional value. Just received * At the CITY HOUSE.

Families requiring sugar for preserving fruits, &c., can obtain it at wholesale prices at FELL & Co.'s, Fort street. *

COPPER PLATES for Calling Cards, at FERGUSON'S. *

THE CONGO, by Stanley, at FERGUSON'S. *

A Great variety of PHOTO ALBUMS at FERGUSON'S. *

The best place to buy your groceries is at FELL & Co.'s, Fort street. *

The celebrated APPOLINARIS and VICHY WATERS on sale at FELL & Co.'s *

ICE at Brewster's, Yates street, or of W Tinson. *

The celebrated BELFAST GINGER ALE the best in the world, at FELL & Co.'s. *

JERSEYS! JERSEYS!

One hundred and fifty Jerseys received to-day at the White House. Hutcheson, Young & Co.

New Ready.

The B. C. Directory for 1885, just issued by R. T. Williams, Publisher, is a perfect compendium of information concerning the city of Victoria and the Province of British Columbia. The subscription price, $1.50, is so low that it should be kept as a book of reference in every business house and residence in the Province. *

CANTONESE MADE EASY—A wonderful book. Just the thing for any wanting to learn the Chinese language. At FERGUSON'S. *

The Oriental Restaurant will hereafter be kept open day and night.

THE GOLDSTREAM EXPRESS

Will leave Mr. A. Gilmore's store, Johnson street, every morning at 8.30 o'clock, and returning will leave the Goldstream House at 5 p. m., for Victoria. JAMES PHAIR, Manager.

sep7-14d

Robt. T. Williams, Book Binder Paper Ruler and Blank Book Manufacturer. Maps and Drawing Paper Mounted. Office of the B. C. Directory Broad St.

DIED.

MIDDLETON—In this city, at St. Joseph's Hospital, on Sept. 10th, Joseph Middleton, aged 47 years, a native of Marsden, Lancashire, England.

☞ The funeral will take place from St. Joseph's Hospital at 2 o'clock to-morrow (Saturday).

NEW TO-DAY.

CRICKET MATCH

THE RETURN MATCH between the Fleet and the Victoria Club will be played at

BEACON HILL

To-morrow, Saturday,

Commencing at 10-30 o'clock.

In the afternoon the

BAND OF H. M. S. TRIUMPH

Will be present.

☞ Go and enjoy a good time. sep11

THE LONDON Boot & Shoe Store.

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A Large Stock of Fine Boots & Shoes kept on hand.

New Boots and Shoes **MADE TO ORDER AND REPAIRS** NEATLY EXECUTED. Call and inspect.

JAMES MAYNARD

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On Wednesday, 16th September,

Commencing at 7.45 and closing at 11 p. m.

The following prizes will be given:

Best sustained character in Ladies' Costume—Pair of Club Skates, choice of style.

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Most Graceful Lady Skater—Pair of Raymond Extension Skates.

Most Comical Ladies' Costume—$2.25; Gents' $2.25.

No one will be allowed to skate without costume until 9 o'clock, after which all desiring may skate until 11.

To avoid possibility of objectionable characters gaining admission, ladies will please make themselves known to the management before entering. No burlesque of a religious costume will be allowed.

Price of Admission - - 25 cents
Use of Skates, - - - - 25 cents

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Beds! Beds!

TO LET AT QUEEN CHAMBERS, YATES STREET. Beds 50 cts. per night, or lower rates for one week or upwards. sep8 tf

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PORK SAUSAGES, LARD, Etc.,

ALWAYS ON HAND.

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CONSISTING of Fifty acres of good arable land, about two miles from Cowichan wharf. The land is well adapted for fruit growing, poultry raising, etc.

Fifty acres of first class bottom land, easily cleared, and adjoining the above property, can be had at a reasonable price.

To parties in search of a good homestead this is a first class chance.

For particulars apply to

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sep10 2m P. CAREY, Proprietor.

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TENDERS are invited up to the 15th inst. for painting the outside of my residence.

sep7 td R. DUNSMUIR.

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CAPTAIN ALEXANDER.

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Intending Shippers are requested to make arrangements for Freight as early as possible, so that room may be reserved for their shipments.

Freight for shipment by her is required to be on the wharf of the undersigned by 5 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, Sept. 15.

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sep10 Agents.

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Will be held at the grounds of the Association,

NEW WESTMINSTER

Thursday & Friday, 1st & 2nd Oct.

Captain Irving, Manager of the C. P. N. line of steamers, has kindly consented to carry Exhibitors and furniture to and from the Exhibition

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The Superintendent of the C. P. R. has also conceded the same privilege.

W. D. FERRIS, Secretary.

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Having satisfied all claims against the vessel, I can guarantee a clear and indisputable title to the purchaser. The vessel can be seen and all particulars furnished upon application to

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